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METHOD AND ENDOSCOPE INSERTING DIRECTION  
DETECTING SYSTEM**

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**Sir:**

**It appearing that errors have been introduced in the course  
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the following respects:**

**Column 23, Line 2, Claim 1:**

**“system” should read -- method --**

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